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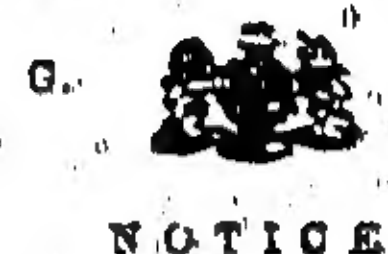
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II.-Fire Funds 3,837,647

III.-Life & Annuity Funds 17,607,580

Sinking Fund Account 128,230

£23,970,387

Revenue Fire Branch 22,381,456

Life and Annuity 2,141,563

Branches 337,439

Revenue Marine Department 478,940

Other Receipts 21,339,228

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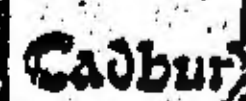
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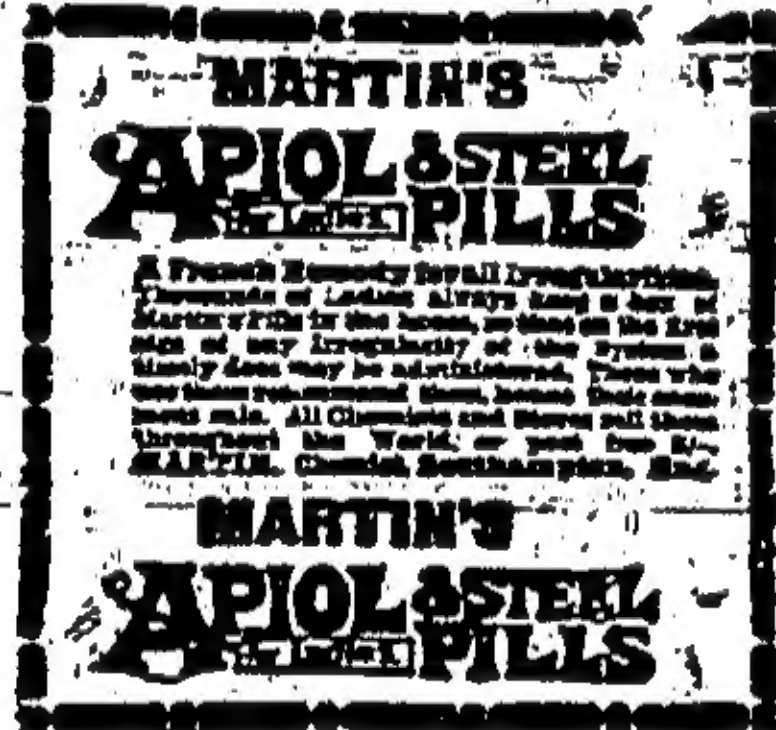
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WITHIN."MY YEARS AT THE AUSTRIAN
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My Years at the Austrian Court
by Nellie Ryan. (John Lane 10s. 6d.
net).

There have been many books about
European Courts and Court life published
of late years, and these have been curi-
ously diversified in value. The present
work is one of the lighter kind. It pre-
tends to no solution of international prob-
lems, nor to throw any unexpected light
on puzzles that have at one time or other
set agog the world of gossip. It is a
pleasant account of certain august per-
sonages closely connected with the Aus-
trian Imperial House, set down without
malice and with no suggestion of know-
ing more than is pretended. The author
held for some years a confidential posi-
tion in the household of the Archduke
Karl Stefan, whose name only recently
came into prominence as the nominated
King of Poland. Miss Ryan apparently
accepts this position of the situation at
the time she writes, though perhaps
would now be inclined to give it a back-
ing.

Thus, however, is neither here nor
there. What the reader is concerned
with is the definite glimpse, or succession
of glimpses, given of life in the
Imperial entourage. In the first place
the author is quite frank in her avowal
of esteem for the Austrian family, and,
indeed, starts with a vindication of
these so-called degenerate Hapsburgs
that leaves us in no doubt as to her pre-
possession in the matter. Incidentally,
a comparison is drawn with another Kai-
ser anything but flattering to the latter.
If at this great European crisis we
compare the two Kaisers around whom
the nations of the world are fighting,
we find two men of totally different
characters. William II., the German
Emperor, who forced this terrible war
—a madman if ever a ruler lived—
Franz Josef, the Emperor of Austria,
peace-loving, sad, and weary, on whom
this war was forced.

Yet how often the word "mad" is
associated with the old Austrian Em-
peror and his family! Would it not be
nearer the truth if some of these
utterly false rumours and insinuations
were directed to the other ruler—to
the man who has plunged the whole
world into ruin and disaster?

What the German Emperor expects
when he pays a visit to any of his sub-
jects is told in a few vigorous touches
that leave no doubt of the cordialness of
the Imperial friendship.

There is a good deal about the late
Empress Elisabeth of Austria, which
leaves the impression that although the
Emperor was a devoted husband in the
early days of marriage, the machinations
of those about him, particularly those of
the Archduchess Sophia, mother-in-law
of Elisabeth, together with a not too
rigid interpretation of his own respon-
sibilities, led to disaster. Miss Ryan is
candid on the point.

The marriage was neither com-
pletely happy nor wholly successful,
but the mischief was wrought at the
beginning by the Emperor's mother-in-
law in this case a truly unpleasant and
most unscrupulous woman.

A chapter is devoted to Countess Zan-
dari Landi whose own account of her
career is well within recollection. But
we pass on to the time when the nar-
rator became attached to the suite of the
Archduke Karl Stefan. He looms large
in these memoirs, and the impression
conveyed is that of a man bubbling over
at times with high spirits, but impatient
of etiquette, and endowed with rich
mental qualities. The first purely per-
sonal view given of him is at one of his
southern villas on an island in the Adria-
tic.

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"He seemed to see us approaching
from some little distance, for he
abruptly turned from the men, and
called up to us as we were descending
a winding, rocky path—
"Good morning. I'm delighted to
meet you. Hope you have had a good
journey."
By this time he was shaking me
most heartily by the hand, in a very
friendly and delightful manner.
Archduchess Eleonore, who I after-
wards learnt was his daughter, ran
forward and kissed his hand, saying:—
"Isn't it jolly, papa, the Miss
Nellie plays tennis. Can't we all play
this afternoon?"
"Oh, capital," said the Archduke.
impulsively. "Let's play at once."
And, turning to the man, he shouted
in Italian: "Antonio, Carlo, quick—
balls—fetch the mallets!"
The Archduchess, his wife, it is of
interest to note, is a first cousin of the
late heir apparent, Franz Ferdinand, and
appears to set as counterpoise to her bril-
liant husband's eccentricities. One of the
Archduke's foibles is the artistic arrange-
ment of furniture. On one occasion he
chose, in a spirit of mischief, to give his
ideas practical form in the private apart-
ments of the author. He suggested that
the arrangement of the furniture was
inartistic.
And before I had recovered from
my amusement and astonishment, he
had picked up one of two Persian rugs
from the beautiful polished oak floor,
and opening the door, flung them out
in the corridor.
He then proceeded to push the big-
ger pieces of furniture from the centre,
and before I could protest or make
myself understood the entire contents
of the enormous room were standing
huddled up in the centre of the room,
looking exactly like a store-room in a
furniture shop.
"Now," said the Archduke, "having
put everything in the centre, we can
proceed to plan out."
The strenuous system of education, pur-
sued in the case of members of the
Imperial Family is clearly indicated,
and Christmas and Easter, for example,
do not stand for prolonged vacations. But
the actual festivals, with a couple of days
or so in addition.
"English, French, German, and
Italian were spoken and understood by
all the children of Archduke Karl
Stefan from a very early age. All these
languages were used in general con-
versation throughout the entire day,
and the rapidity with which they
skipped, as it were, from one language
to another was amazing."
One of the Archduke's daughters has
married Prince Jerome Radziwill, of the
Austro-Polish branch of that House, and
one of the seats was in Galicia, about
twenty miles from the Russian frontier.
What follows is interesting in view of
the course of European events.
It was very interesting to hear
from a friend of mine, who was stay-
ing with the Princess Renata Radziwill
three years ago, that even then the
borderland was mined and barbed wire
was arranged half a mile deep along the
COUGHING INTO
CONSUMPTION

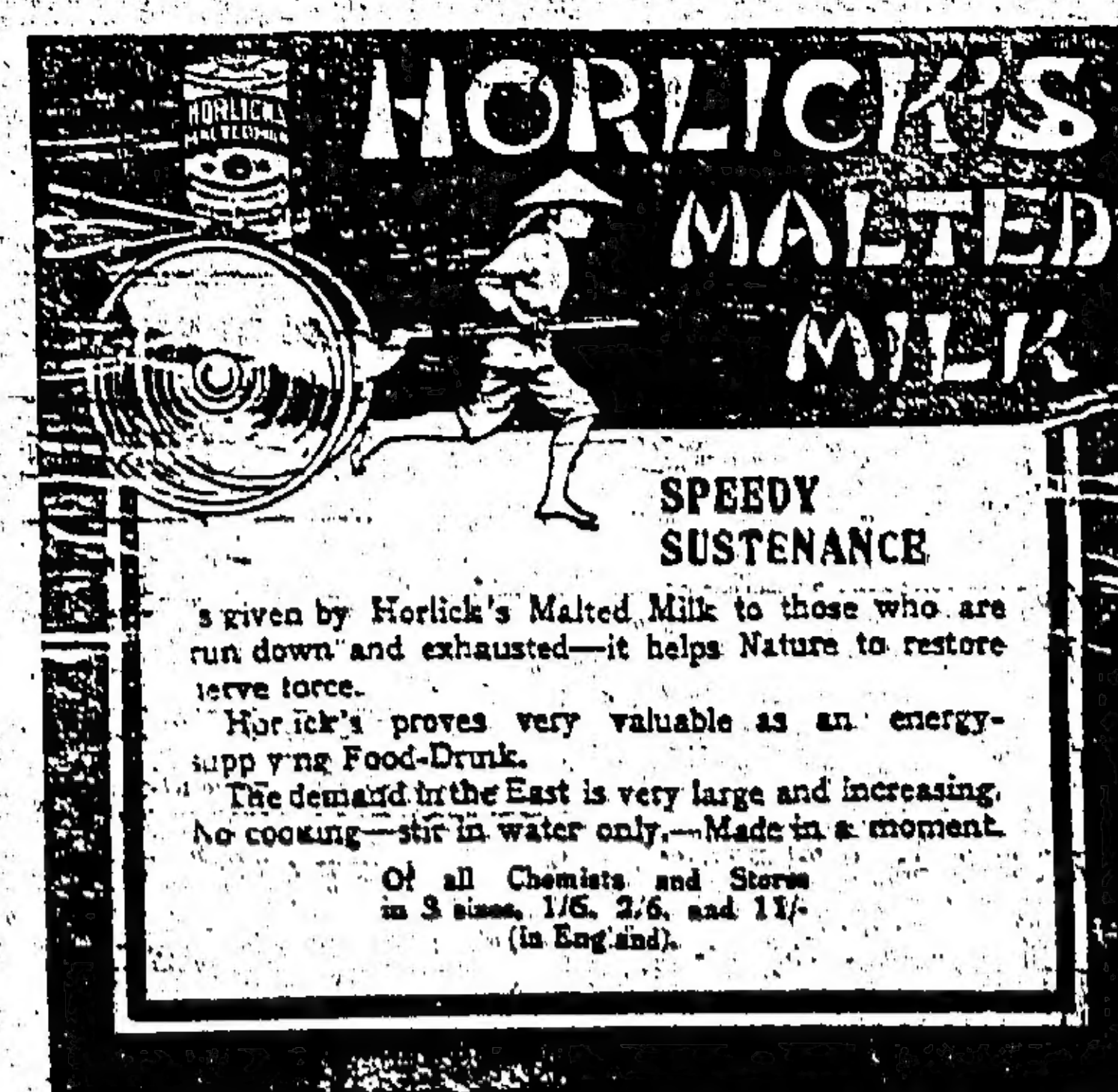
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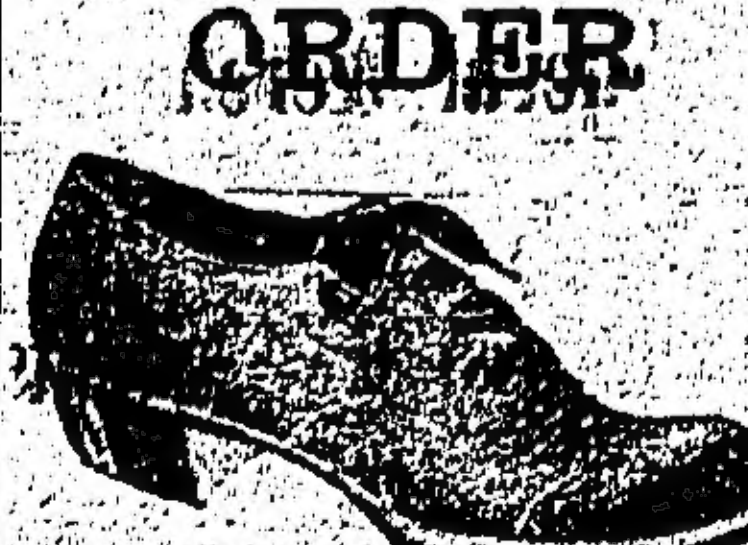
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thought there was not sufficient evidence against the third defendant. His Worship agreed, saying there was not a scintilla of evidence against him, not even a suggestion of a scintilla (laughter).

Evidence was given of the statement made by defendants when first charged. The case was adjourned.

with possessing opium whose bail was exonerated. Mr Faithfull said he was waiting in Mr Landerall's court of Mr Hazeland's court. It was that defendant's name had been twice in both courts. His Work Mr Faithfull to give notice application to the police.

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and other producing countries. This led to an increase in the import of sugar from the Philippines, and from China and Java. The imports into the Colony the first half of the current year are valued by commercial interests at 189,123 short tons, as compared with 270,333 short tons during the same period of 1914.

THE WAR.

TODAY'S TELEGRAMS

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

RUSSIAN OFFENSIVE IN GALICIA.

LARGE GERMAN FORCE WITHDRAWN FROM BALKANS.

Zurich, Dec. 2. It is reported that in view of the powerful offensive which the Russians are preparing in Galicia, a large German force has been withdrawn from Bulgaria and Serbia and sent to the South-Eastern front.

Several battalions of Bulgarians have been sent to Gallipoli, instead of the promised German reinforcements.

BRITISH SQUADRON BOMBARDING BELGIAN COAST.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 2. The Telegram states that a British squadron bombarded the Belgian coast on Tuesday. The squadron consisted of forty vessels.

THE BRITISH CASUALTIES.

Total Over Half A Million.

LONDON, Dec. 2. Mr. Asquith, in a written answer to a question, announces that the total British casualties in the Army and Navy down to November 9th, were 510,290.

Of this total, 1,620 officers and 69,272 men were killed on the Western front, and 1,594 officers and 21,331 men were killed at the Dardanelles.

The numbers killed in the Navy are 280 officers and 3,028 men.

HOLLAND AND GERMANY.

Authoritative Denial of Alleged Secret Treaty.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 2. The Prime Minister of Holland has denied the existence of a secret treaty between Holland and Germany.

THE SITUATION IN GREECE.

Complicated and Rather Acute.

ATHENS, Dec. 2. The situation remains complicated and rather acute.

THE PROSECUTION OF THE WAR.

LONDON, Dec. 2. Private discussions are in progress on both sides of the House of Commons with a view to the formation of an organization to bring pressure to bear on the Government with a view to ensure the most vigorous prosecution of the war.

THE CANADIAN WAR LOAN.

Doubtly Subscribed.

OTTAWA, Dec. 2. The Minister of Finance announces that the subscriptions to the \$50,000,000 War Loan have amounted to \$100,000,000.

A COMMONWEALTH WAR LOAN.

MELBOURNE, Dec. 2. The prospectus has been issued of a 4½ per cent. Commonwealth War Loan of £10,000,000 sterling. Applications close on January 31st.

PASSPORTS TO LEAVE THE UNITED KINGDOM.

New Order-in-Council.

LONDON, Dec. 2. An Order-in-Council requires every person leaving the United Kingdom to be provided with a valid passport not more than two years old.

British subjects of military age must hold passports issued since November 15th. These will not be granted except for satisfactory reasons.

MR. ROOSEVELT ON AMERICAN TIMIDITY.

Neutrals and Germany's Criminal Responsibility.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2. Mr. Theodore Roosevelt, in a letter declining to attend a meeting of protest against the Armenian massacres, says: "The nation is too timid to protect its own citizens from murder and outrage, or to speak on behalf of Belgium and therefore is cannot carry much weight by a protest on behalf of the Jews and Armenians. Germany's criminal responsibility for the inquiries of the past eighteen months must be shared by neutrals, headed by the United States."

COAL CONSUMPTION IN GREAT BRITAIN.

Board of Trade Warning.

LONDON, Dec. 2. The Board of Trade draws attention to the probability of the increasing consumption of coal in the industrial areas, and the reduced output of the mines owing to the enlistment of miners. It recommends industrial consumers to make contracts, and not trust to the open market.

HIS MAJESTY THE KING.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

His Majesty the King will very recently use a couple of sticks when he attempted to walk. His Majesty walked unaided to-day and managed with a single walking stick, both at the Palace and at Marlborough House. Although His Majesty is still unable to use the right leg freely, he is well on the way to complete recovery.

EXPLOSION IN AN AMERICAN POWDER FACTORY.

Dastardly Teton Crime.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

A mysterious explosion has occurred in a powder factory at Wilmington, Delaware, whereby thirty men were killed.

The factory officials state that placards had been posted in the vicinity warning Teton workers to quit work in the factory if they valued their lives.

BRITISH STEAMERS SUNK.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

The steamer Kingsway has been sunk. Five of the crew are missing.

AUSTRALIAN HARVEST PROSPECTS.

ADELAIDE, Dec. 2.

The Government Statist forecasts an aggregate yield for the coming harvest of 27½ million bushels. This will be a record in the production of the State.

HARBOR TELEGRAMS

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

INTENSE BOMBARDMENTS ON WESTERN FRONT.

PARIS, Dec. 2.

Intense bombardments have been a feature on the entire western front. Anglo-French artillery in Belgium, according to a communiqué, severely damaged the enemy's fieldworks, and made a breach of thirty metres in one redoubt. A German armoured train was stopped off near Hoge, and an infantry column was dispersed near Soissons.

AERIAL WARFARE.

PARIS, Dec. 2. A communiqué states: "There has only been a vigorous French cannonade. French aeroplanes in Artois attacked two German aeroplanes. They brought down one, and chased the other to Douai."

THE STRUGGLE AT MONASTIR.

SALONIKA, Dec. 2.

The Serbians are holding Monastir, and the Bulgarians are endeavouring to outflank the town from the south-east, and, if possible, surround it.

BRITISH EMPIRE'S "BROAD SHOULDERS."

ABLE TO BEAR THE ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL BURDEN.

LONDON, Dec. 1. Mr. Asquith pointed out the enormous economic and financial burden necessary for carrying on the war; but added that our shoulders were broad enough to bear the burden. He was confident that all classes would gladly and joyfully make the necessary sacrifices. He asked the Trade Union leaders to use their influence to prevent a general demand for higher wages, and alleged that since the war began there had been a rise in some cases of a substantial rise in wages, and even allowing for the increased cost of living, the workers were better off now than before the war.

TRADE UNIONS AND MINISTERS' SPEECHES.

LONDON, Dec. 2. The Trade Union conference has resolved that copies of the speeches of Mr. Asquith, Mr. McKenna and Mr. Buxton shall be printed and distributed to Trade Unionists with a request that they shall give the matter favourable consideration.

QUIET IN MACEDONIA.

PARIS, Dec. 2.

The position in Macedonia is reported to be quiet. It is intensely cold.

MONTENEGRINS ACTIVE.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

A Montenegrin communiqué states: "We attacked the region of Focina and defeated the Austrians, who retreated in disorder towards Gorazda."

THE DARDANELLES.

PARIS, Dec. 2.

There has been the usual mining activity at the Dardanelles.

ITALIANS STRENGTHENING NEW POSITIONS.

ROME, Dec. 2.

The Italians are busy consolidating new positions. A communiqué says that intense artillery bombardments have been directed with the object of breaking down fresh enemy lines.

GERMANY'S INTERFERENCE WITH NEUTRAL COMMERCE.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

The Admiralty publishes a document showing that the Swedish Customs have to telegraph to Germany the sailings of all vessels, and that there is no contraband aboard, while vessels must have clearance papers in both German and Swedish. All vessels leaving the Baltic are examined by a German patrol boat, and sometimes they have to wait for hours. The Admiralty says that this shows how Germany, when there is any opportunity for naval activity, practices the principle of the freedom of the seas for neutral commerce.

RUSSIANS FIGHTING ON PERSIAN FRONTIER.

PETERSBURG, Dec. 2.

A telegram from the Nova Vremya correspondent says that the Russians in Persia are crushing the opposition. On November 26th, in the region south of Lake Urmiah, a force of Turks and Kurds, after a sharp encounter, fled into Turkish territory. Karzi and Kenghman were occupied next day.

GLOOMY ASPECT.

The correspondent dwells on the failure of the Shah's Government to fulfil its pledges to suppress hostile agitation, and says that Germans, under the eyes of the Government, have transported from Teheran to Isfahan, huge quantities of arms and ammunition. The entire region contiguous to the Turkish frontier has been fortified. With the exception of Prince Firman Firza, the members of the Government favour the foes of the Entente. The Shah is powerless to oppose the overwhelming sentiment of the masses.

GREECE'S NEUTRALITY.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

The Star's correspondent at Rome states that Greece has notified the Allies that it is impossible to accept the demands for the Greek evacuation of Salonika and an Allied surveillance of the Greek coast, because it is tantamount to a violation of Greece's neutrality.

(With The Post's Service.)

AN EXPLANATION NECESSARY.

PEKING, Dec. 2.

Chu Yim, the superintendent of Chinese students in Europe, has cabled to the Ministry of Education that, owing to a disagreement with the Chinese Minister in London, he has been detained by the latter.

The Government have telegraphed to the Minister for an explanation.

THE TAM SHUI HUNG MURDER TRIAL.

A STAR CHAMBER PROCEEDING.

The murder charge against a mother and her son of killing a woman in the village of Tam Shui Hung, near Shan-tse, was continued today before Mr. Justice Gompertz and a special jury.

Mr. P. C. Jenkin (instructed by Mr. G. N. Ome of the Crown Solicitor's office), prosecuted, and Mr. Eldon Potter (instructed by Mr. Kong Sing) defended. Arising out of a cross-examination of one of the Crown witnesses by Mr. Potter, Mr. Jenkin asked his Lordship to invite the witness to say anything he liked in favour of the prisoners. He gathered from Mr. Potter's remarks that the woman had been in the care of the police and she was not allowed to see anybody except in the presence of the police.

Mr. Potter said such a position was impossible.

Mr. Jenkin went on to remark that Mr. Kong Sing applied for the woman's release, but the Captain Superintendent of Police did not see fit to allow it, and Counsel was sure that if Mr. Kong Sing had been the Captain Superintendent he would not have done so either. Continuing, Counsel said: "he would call Chief Detective Inspector Morrison who was the only person who interrogated the woman."

Mr. Potter said he had been in Court when his friend appeared for the defence; that day he was appearing for the Crown. He (Mr. Potter) would again tell the jury that he did not suggest that Inspector Morrison endeavoured to put into the woman's mouth untrue evidence, or to say any such thing what ever, because Counsel did not believe that Inspector Morrison would do it.

Mr. Potter, resuming his seat, said *solo voce*, that it was "A Star Chamber proceeding."

"I object to Counsel," said Mr. Jenkin, "when he is sitting down, saying it is a Star Chamber proceeding. It is decidedly improper."

Mr. Potter: "Nobody in history ever suggested the judges of the Star Chamber were corrupt, but the system was rotten."

At this point the Judge intervened, and asked Mr. Potter not to make remarks *solo voce*.

Mr. Potter said he apologised for that and added that he never said anything *solo voce* which he was not prepared to say candidly.

Counsel then continued to call evidence on behalf of the Crown.

CONSPIRACY TO DEFRAUD.

A Shanghai Appeal.

In the Judicial Court of the Privy Council, before Viscount H.M. de la, Lord Atkinson, Lord Sumner, and Lord Alton, the case of Debrahy v. the King was heard on October 22nd. It was a petition for special leave to appeal from a judgment of the Court of Appeal of the Straits Settlements, dated August 17, 1914, and raised an interesting question in the law of conspiracy.

The petitioner, who is a British subject, was charged at Shanghai together with a Belgian named de Maere with conspiracy to defraud. At the trial it was undisputed that de Maere was merely a Belgian law, and that conspiracy to defraud was not a criminal offence in Belgian law. The petitioner then raised the defence that it was impossible for him to have been guilty of conspiracy with de Maere for these reasons: (1) The jury directed that the jury could not convict the petitioner unless they were satisfied that de Maere was also guilty and would have been convicted if he had been before the Court. The jury found a verdict of "Guilty" against the petitioner, who appealed to the Supreme Court on the point whether it was possible to convict with a Belgian subject to defraud when conspiracy was not a criminal offence according to the law of Belgium. The Court decided against him, and he now sought special leave to appeal.

During the argument Lord Atkinson said that it would lead to very unfortunate results if a British subject could not be convicted of conspiracy whenever he had a foreigner as a co-conspirator.

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THE WEST POINT MURDER.

STATE OF ACCUSED'S MIND.

A Death Sentence.

Evidence on the state of the mind of Li Pui, charged with committing a terrible murder at West Point, and with attempting to commit another murder, was given at the resumed hearing of the case before the Chief Justice (Sir Wm. West Davies) at the Criminal Sessions to-day.

Mr. P. M. Hodgson, Crown Solicitor, appeared for the Crown and accused, who pleaded "Not guilty," was defended by Mr. G. A. L. H. H. (instructed by Mr. F. Mason, of Messrs D'Almeida and Mason).

The Crown Solicitor mentioned that prisoner had been carefully examined by Dr. Moore and Dr. McKenny since the last hearing.

Dr. Moore said he had made two examinations and could find no signs of insanity nor evidence that accused had suffered from epilepsy. A man who had epilepsy might show signs in the way of scars on his tongue, bitten in a fit. Accused had also been put through an oral examination and had answered rationally.

Interrogated by defending Counsel, Dr. Moore said, referring to the Taylor tests, that each case must be determined on the circumstances. Witness agreed with Taylor.

Dr. Moore, replying to the Chief Justice, gave a sample of his examination. He asked accused among other questions, of what his father died, and he replied that he died with pains in all his bones at the age of 68. Accused was also questioned about the crime and said that he had no recollection of the crime. Wong Pui had money and used to make a fool of him. Wong Pui, accused had added, was head of the Triad Society. Asked how Wong Pui made a fool of him accused said: "He showed me a knife (a small sword) and said he would stab me." Asked if the knife produced in Court was the knife, accused said: "No, that is only used for cutting roast duck." Accused also said he did not wish to kill Lo Kim, but he tried to stop accused killing Wong Pui. The night before he was murdered, Wong Pui had said publicly "Who will kill me?" That remark was addressed to accused personally. Accused said he did not want to kill Wong Pui until he dared him and he then made up his mind to kill him. (On producing his bed that night Wong Pui said to him "stealing again? There was a good deal of 'stealing' received from guests which Wong Pui would not distribute.)

"Did he appear to be sorry for what he had done?" asked the Chief Justice.

Dr. Moore: "No, he said he was not sorry. He was very phlegmatic and did not feel sorry at all."

Did he know he had done wrong?—Yes.

Accused, continued Dr. Moore, said he had only fever; if he had had fever, witness thought he would have said so.

"Is epilepsy common among the Chinese?" asked the Chief Justice.

Witness answered: "Rarely, about the same as among Europeans."

Accused had also said that he was an opium smoker.

Dr. McKenny, Medical Officer of Victoria General, next gave evidence as to similar examinations of the accused. He did not consider accused insane. Witness had had a large experience of Chinese in the jail, and he thought accused had the usual normal intelligence of the people of his class. Witness asked accused if he was not frightened as to the results of his action, and he answered that it was natural to fear death, but that he was guided to pay by his life for Wong Pui's life.

After the adjournment, the Crown Solicitor addressed the jury, evidence for the Crown having been completed. He confined his remarks to the plea of insanity set up by the defence, as defined in law.

While it was not necessary for him to say that Wong Pui had been a thief, he said that Wong Pui had been a thief, and he said that Wong Pui had been a thief, and he said that Wong Pui had been a thief.

The Chief Justice addressed the jury who retired. On re-entering Court at the expiration of ten minutes the foreman said the jury found the accused "Guilty of murder."

Accused was thereupon sentenced to death.

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Hongkong, Nov. 17, 1915. 985

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Hongkong, Dec. 1, 1915. 1022

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Steamer	Leaves	Yokohama	Leaves	Yokohama	Leaves	Yokohama	Leaves	Yokohama	Leaves	Yokohama
YOKOHAMA	about	about	about	about	about	about	about	about	about	about
Nov. 20	SARDINIA	Nov. 29	Dec. 1	SMALWA	Jan. 1	Jan. 8	Jan. 15	Jan. 22	Jan. 29	Feb. 5
Dec. 4	NAMUR	Dec. 12	Dec. 18	MOJITAN	Jan. 15	Jan. 22	Jan. 29	Feb. 5	Feb. 12	Feb. 19
Dec. 18	NANKIN	Dec. 26	Dec. 30	30MALOJA	Jan. 29	Feb. 5	Feb. 12	Feb. 19	Feb. 26	Mar. 5
Jan. 1	NOVARA	Jan. 10	Jan. 14	14ARABIA	Feb. 12	Feb. 19	Feb. 26	Mar. 5	Mar. 12	Mar. 19
Jan. 15	NELLORE	Jan. 24	Jan. 28	28MOLDAVIA	Feb. 26	Mar. 5	Mar. 12	Mar. 19	Mar. 26	Apr. 2
Jan. 29	SARDINIA	Feb. 7	Feb. 11	11KARMAIA	Mar. 12	Mar. 19	Mar. 26	Apr. 2	Apr. 9	Apr. 16
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Mar. 11	NOVARA	Mar. 20	Mar. 24	24MALWA	Apr. 23	Apr. 30	May 7	May 14	May 21	May 28

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Passengers change Steamers at COLOMBO.
Accommodation in the connecting Steamer from COLOMBO is definitely reserved in Hongkong at the time of Booking.
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PREPARED SAILINGS:

STEAMERS.	Leave Yokohama	Leave Samarang	Leave Hongkong	Leave Sourabaya	Due at Manila P. M. Nig.	Due at London
	about	about	about	about	about	about
						1918
YAGOYA	—	—	—	Nov. 30	Dec. 30	Jan. 7
			1918	1918	1918	
CASHMIR	Dec. 20	Dec. 30	Jan. 8	Jan. 11	Feb. 10	Feb. 17

